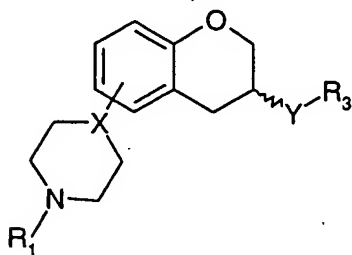


ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to new new piperidyl- or piperazinyl-substituted dihydro-2H-1-benzopyran derivatives compound having the formula (I)



(I)

wherein

X is N or CH;

Y is NR_2CH_2 , CH_2NR_2 , NR_2CO , CONR_2 , NR_2SO_2 or NR_2CONR_2

wherein R_2 is H or $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl ;

R_1 is H, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl or $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_6$ cycloalkyl;

R_3 is $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_6$ cycloalkyl or $(\text{CH}_2)_n\text{-aryl}$,

wherein aryl is phenyl or a heteroaromatic ring containing one or two heteroatoms selected from N, O and S and which may be mono- or di-substituted with R_4 and/or

R_5 ;

and n is 0-4;

as (*R*)-enantiomers, (*S*)-enantiomers or a racemate in the form of a free base or a

pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof, a process for their preparation,

pharmaceutical compositions containing said therapeutically active compounds and to the use of said active compounds.